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## Beautiful Home Sites.

Highland Place is well located for beautiful home sites. Watch for date of sale.

## Eighteen Negroes Killed in Riot.

At least eighteen negroes were killed in a race clash near Palestine, Texas, Saturday night as the culmination of enmity between the races that had been brewing for several weeks. Other reports place the total at between thirty and forty. It is also reported that several white men were either killed or wounded. Troops are now at the scene of the rioting.

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PHONE 179.

**Logan Howard.**

## President Ira G. Rawn a Suicide.

The Coroner's jury impaneled to inquire into the death of Ira G. Rawn, late President of the Monon railroad, returned an open verdict Friday morning, but found that he died from a shot fired from his own weapon by his own hand. The verdict is as follows:

"We, the jurors sworn on oath to inquire into the death of Ira G. Rawn at his home in Winnetka, on July 20, find that he came to his death at 1:30 o'clock on the morning of July 20 from shock and hemorrhages caused by a bullet from his own revolver, fired by his own hand, but whether this was accidental or with suicidal intent this jury is unable to determine, except that the location of the wound and the type of revolver render the accident theory less probable."

The verdict was so worded as to show that Mr. Rawn was believed by the jurors to have been responsible for his own death, but the question of suicide or accident was left to be fought out by the family and the insurance companies. It took several hours' deliberation to reach a finding.

One of the chief points involved in the long discussion was how to word the document in such a manner as not to deprive Rawn's family of any legal rights the members might have under the \$110,000 of accident insurance policies left by him.

Two of the six jurors held out for a long time for a verdict of suicide, two others held to the accident theory. The verdict was a compromise between these divergent views.

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## One Man Killed in Shotgun Duel.

In a duel with shotguns near Athens in Fayette county, Sunday afternoon, Jason Walker Bentley, a white-haired old man, 68 years of age, killed his antagonist after he had himself received what will probably prove fatal wounds.

The other principal in the bloody battle was Roger Hanson Pryor, twenty years younger than his foe, a member of that neighborhood and who is widely known throughout Central Kentucky and in the larger cities of the West as a breeder of game chickens as an expert handler of the birds in the fighting pits.

Pryor used a double-barreled shotgun loaded with No. 7 shot, and emptied both charges into the body of Bentley. Bentley was armed with a single-barreled gun charged with No. 6 shot, and although reeling from the two wounds he had received, he balanced himself a moment, and then sent the single load of his gun straight into the heart of his enemy, who was standing with smoking weapon about thirty yards away. Both men were farmers and had lived near each other in that neighborhood practically all their lives.

Bentley stated that he told Pryor that other people's tobacco patches were as full of weeds as his son's. Pryor, he said, called him a liar and threw several stones at him. Bentley told him he was too old to fight him with his fists but he would go get his gun and make it more even.

"If you want to fight with guns, that suits me," and started to his home.

Bentley walked to his house, which was slightly nearer than Pryor's and securing his gun returned to the spring.

As he stood there Pryor came up the road with a double-barreled gun, and when about thirty yards away raised his weapon and fired both barrels in quick succession. Bentley states that the shock of the last shot turned him half way around, but managing to keep his balance, he turned toward Pryor and fired the one load which his gun contained.

Pryor fell and died before his wife, who had heard the shooting could reach his side.

Coroner J. D. Kiser, of Fayette, visited the scene Sunday afternoon and held an inquest. After hearing the testimony of Pryor's wife and reading the statement made by Bentley, the coroner's jury returned a verdict that Pryor was killed by Bentley in self defense.

Pryor was a son of the late Samuel Pryor, of Bourbon county, and the early years of his life were spent here. He was forty-seven years of age and is survived by his wife and one daughter, Miss Gloria Pryor, who is studying for her stage in New York. The deceased was a brother of Mr. Jack Pryor, formerly of Bourbon.

The funeral services will be held at the grave in the Paris cemetery today at 12:30 p. m.

## BIRTHS.

—Born, Sunday, July 30, to the wife of James Batterton, a son, first born.

## DEATHS.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Ross, one of the oldest residents of Carlisle, died Friday after a long illness of the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Ross was the widow of Judge William Parks Ross, who was one of the leading lawyers of the State and for many years pastor of the Carlisle bar. She was seventy years of age, and is survived by several grown children—Mrs. Ed Ingels, of Millersburg, and Mrs. G. S. Templeman, of Carlisle, and Attorney H. E. Ross, of Lexington; Attorney I. B. Ross and Mr. William P. Ross of Carlisle.

—Mrs. Bettie Terry, widow of Mr. Thomas Terry, died at her home on Twelfth and Main yesterday about noon. Mrs. Terry was born near Paris, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Moss. In early life she united with the Methodist Church, and died fully relying upon the promise of a blessed resurrection. Arrangements for the funeral have not been perfected, but the exercises will probably be held Thursday. Announcement to be made in Wednesday's papers. Mrs. Terry is survived by two sons, T. Philip Terry, of Mexico City, Mex., and Frank Terry, of Kansas City, Mo., and four daughters, Mrs. William Warren, of Lexington, Mrs. Bert Swearengen, of Denver, Col., and Miss Margaret Terry and Miss Beatrice Terry, of this city.

—Mr. Jacob L. Embry died Sunday afternoon at 12:25 o'clock at the home of his son-in-law, Enoch Grehan, in Lexington, after an illness of more than two weeks as the result of toxic poisoning, supposedly caused by eating vegetables that had been affected by recent heavy rains.

Mr. Embry had virtually recovered from the first attack and was able to walk about the house, when on Thursday about 4:30 o'clock, he received a stroke of paralysis, so severe that it rendered him unconscious, in which state he remained until the end.

Mr. Embry was in his sixty-eighth year, and was the father of Mrs. Enoch Grehan, Miss Dove B. Embry and W. R. Embry of Lexington, and Mrs. R. J. Hayden, of Luiguan, P. I., Mrs. John Tablett of North Middletown, John Embry, of Providence City, Texas, Hugh Embry and Mrs. Dick Weaver, of Ashville, N. C., all of whom survive, his wife having died some fifteen years ago. He was a brother of Mrs. Eliza Allen of Lexington, and Mrs. Malinda Mitchell, of Mt. Sterling.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Rev. I. J. Spencer officiating, with Rev. John Shouse assisting.

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